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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111 TO **NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION, MAILED AUGUST 22, 2006**

Dear Honorable Commissioner:

In response to the Office Action mailed on August 22, 2006 (the "Office Action")

Applicants herein provide:

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.